

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF NEXT Y. M. C. A. DRIVE

Happenings of Interest Both General and Personal Gathered Around Town.

Mr. M. Berman has received word of the safe arrival overseas of his nephew, Sergt. Lewis A. Sears.

Word was received here today of the safe arrival overseas of Corp. Paul L. Moriarity.

A meeting of the civic bureau of the Chamber of Commerce is scheduled to be held at 8 o'clock Monday night.

Policeman Charles G. Miller, who has been ill with typhoid fever for more than a month, is able to be out again.

The Camp Community dance at the Soldiers' Club tonight will begin at 8:30 and dancing will cease promptly at 11 o'clock.

Edna Clyde Glover, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Glover, died today at her parents' residence, 315 South Patrick street.

Allen Y. Cogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Cogan, has arrived safely overseas, according to word received today by his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevell S. Greenaway have gone to Greenfield, Mass., and also will spend some time in the Adirondack Mountains.

The Rev. R. Eirich, of Baltimore, will conduct the service at Immanuel Lutheran Church at 11 o'clock tomorrow. Subject, "Glimpses of Heaven."

The semi-monthly dance under the auspices of the ladies' auxiliary will be given tonight at the Old Dominion Boat Club house. Admission will be by invitation only.

The series of two sermons tomorrow at the Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. Raymond W. White, pastor, will be "Two Dangerous Characters." Christian Endeavor at 7:15 p. m.

"Material Forces That Fight for Righteousness" will be the subject of the sermon by the Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, at the Second Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning. Evening will be evangelistic; Sunday school 9:30, and men's Bible class, 10:30.

Chaplain David W. Ferry, of Camp Humphreys, will preach at the morning service at the First Baptist Church tomorrow and the Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson will conduct the religious services at the camp. Dr. Jackson will occupy his pulpit in the evening.

Cards have been received here for the wedding of Miss Edith Houston Bailey, of Ardmore, Pa., to Lieut. Magruder Dent, formerly of this city and now stationed at Garden City, L. I., the marriage to take place on Saturday, July 27, at 6 o'clock at the Church of the Redeemer, at Bryn Mawr, Pa.

MRS. FONES DIES THIS MORNING AT HER RESIDENCE

Mrs. Frances E. Fones died at 10 o'clock this morning at her residence, 528 South Patrick street. She was the widow of Washington F. Fones. Two sons are living, Thomas R. and Theodore E. Fones.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Read This and See Why Two Men Join the Marines.

St. Paul, Minn., July 20.—It was William Shakespeare who put the interrogation, "What's in a name?" But though the dramatist in his early struggles might have carried a spear a mile, that is as near as he ever came to war.

Recently out of the wilds of Pocatello, Idaho, came two young men to the local recruiting station of the U. S. Marine Corps. Their names were Samuel R. Haight and Anchoh Lemon. Both were anxious to enlist. "When I heard about the atrocities of the Germans, I was determined to live up to my name," said Haight. "And," he added, "my pal here is sored against the Huns, anyway." The men are now on their way to Paris Island for training as Marines.

Virginia's Part \$1,000,000—T. M. Carrington, Richmond, State Chairman. Drive to Raise \$112,000,000 Starts in October.

A meeting of the War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A., in New York was largely attended by the leading men of the eastern military district and the several states accepted their quota making up \$49,280,000. Of this amount Virginia was put down at \$1,000,000, which seemed to conform with the apportionment of other states and also with the amount of money to be raised throughout the United States; that is, \$112,000,000, which is practically double that of last year, and the amount Virginia subscribed last year is just doubled in this accepted quota. The campaign for raising this fund is to be put on possibly in October.

The meeting was presided over by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., who made a very interesting address and was followed by Dr. John R. Mott and Mr. George W. Perkins, both of whom talked most earnestly and interestingly of the needs of the army and navy Y. M. C. A. A letter from General Pershing, endorsed by many of his subordinate officers, was read, the purport of which was that as a purely military agency, they regard the association as absolutely necessary for efficiency and that without the Y. M. C. A. following the men from the time they landed, going right up to the fighting trenches; that without this agency the morale of the soldiers would be lowered to a considerable degree, and that on this morale, which means a feeling of confidence due to good physical condition, and further, the feeling that the soldier appreciates that he is thought of by those who are at home giving this aid and comfort, increases their fighting ability to a most wonderful extent.

Our people must be brought to appreciate the fact that the Y. M. C. A. is the only place that affords anything like home influence, protection and, as far as possible, comforts. With these facts absolutely established and backed by business men, the highest in the country our people generally, should feel it a privilege, as well as a duty, to respond to the utmost limit of their ability when the time comes in the middle autumn, for the appeal for funds to sustain this great cause. At the close of the meeting the representatives of the several states separated to elect a state chairman and accept their quota of \$1,000,000 and elected T. M. Carrington of Richmond, state chairman, who will appoint local chairmen in counties, towns and other cities.

ANTI-MALARIAL SURVEY

Assistant Surgeon General Carter Arrived Today for That Purpose. Work Will Require Several Days.

Notes of Sanitation Work. Assistant Surgeon General H. R. Carter, of the United States Public Health Service, arrived in this city this morning and at once proceeded with the work of making an anti-malarial survey of the city in general. It is expected that his work will require several days. Surgeon General Carter assisted in the work of sanitating Panama.

In connection with the plans for putting Alexandria in a good sanitary condition Dr. L. L. Lumsden, also of the same service, stated today that the construction of a waste disposal plant will be started Monday. It will be erected at the foot of Wolfe street. On Monday also it is proposed to begin a systematic collection of all garbage in the city.

LIEUT. ROOSEVELT DEAD

Paris, July 20.—German aviators have dropped a note into American aviation camps confirming the death of Lieut. Quentin Roosevelt.

K. of C. to Care for Interned.

New York, July 20.—The Knights of Columbus committee on war activities announced today that it will extend the scope of its work by aiding in the care of American prisoners interned in Switzerland. This decision was reached after conferences with officials of the United States government.

MASS MEETING.

A public mass meeting will be held at 8:30 o'clock tonight in front of the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Every body in Alexandria is invited to attend. Men, women and children should be present and hear patriotic addresses which will be delivered by noted speakers.

Those scheduled to talk include Private Leslie C. Burgess, survivors of the famous "Princess Pat" regiment; J. A. Yeomans, of the Canadian War Lecture Bureau, who with Private Burgess is touring this country, and Colin H. Livingstone, president of the big Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation.

The wives of all shipbuilders are especially urged also to be present.

In other cities where these speakers have visited they have been heard by audiences numbering as high as 15,000.

SINKING OF CRUISER POLICE COURT NOTES

San Diego Was Torpedoed or Struck a Mine—Members of Crew Believed to Be Safe.

Washington, July 20.—Capt. H. H. Christy, commander of the armored cruiser San Diego, which was sunk yesterday off Long Island, today reported to the Navy Department his belief that the ship was torpedoed.

The cause of the sinking of the vessel, however, remained in doubt, and officials at the Navy Department declined to express an opinion, pending the receipt of more details and further investigation.

The United States armored cruiser San Diego was sunk yesterday at 11:30 a. m. ten miles off Fire Island, at the entrance to New York harbor. Apparently there was no loss of life.

She is believed to have been torpedoed by a German submarine.

The Navy Department is understood to have sent out a warning last night to shipping to watch out for possible submarines operating along the American coast.

Vessels of the coast patrol, as an extra precaution have also been warned to be on their guard.

Admiral Benson, chief of naval operations, is understood to be of the opinion that the San Diego struck a mine—either an American mine, or one shown by the German submarines operating off the American coast more than a month ago.

One officer and two boats' crews have been landed at a life saving station on Long Island.

Other survivors were in boats, and four steamers were standing by.

The San Diego was an armored cruiser of 13,680 tons and carried a complement of 1,114 officers and men.

ARREST ALLEGED VIOLATOR OF THE MAPP LAW

Sergeant Wilkinson received information early today that a negro had gone to Washington to procure liquor. He watched several incoming trains, when one arriving here about 11:30 this morning was found to be carrying the object of his search. Five quart bottles of whisky and two quart bottles of "Tom and Jerry" or "egg nog" were taken from the man. Upon reaching station house he gave his name as George Mudd and said he is from Markham, Fauquier county. The police court was convened shortly after the arrest, and when Mudd was asked if he had anything to say in his defense he alleged that he was not the owner of the liquor. He was held for the action of the grand jury.

Richmond and Surprise

In William Fox's 1918 version of "A Fool There Was," the sentence "Kiss Me, You Fool," stands out dramatically. Theda Bara, as the vampire—uses it with telling force on each of her victims as they grovel at her feet whether she has dragged them with her sinuous smile, her passionate kiss, her wine and her song. So look around for the nearest exit when your vampire says: "Kiss me, you fool."

The Latin quarter of Paris and the Bohemian section of New York form the local the of the second Paralta play featuring Bessie Barriscale, which will be shown at the Surprise tonight. It deals with the struggles of a woman who is afraid of love because of a curse which she feels has been infested upon her soul. The film is vivid and gripping and has been elaborately staged with but one exterior setting.

Non-Compliance With Sewer Tapping Law Brings Parties Before the Police Court.

During the past week a number of residents have appeared before the police court at evening sessions to answer the charge of failure to tap sewers on streets or alleys on which their premises are situated. It has not been necessary to impose fines in any case, as the delinquents have signified their willingness to comply with the law immediately by procuring permits and contracting with plumbers for the necessary work. Most of the cases before the court yesterday evening were parties who have already made the necessary connections of their premises to sewers, but who, according to the records in the city engineer's office, have not procured permits for the same. In some cases it was shown that certain premises have been connected during the past twenty-five years. The alleged delinquents will appear at a special meeting of the committee on streets of the city council shortly when the matter will be adjusted.

Fines are still being imposed upon persons who allow their dogs to roam the streets unmuzzled. A colored man paid the assessment last night and several others were before the court this morning on similar charges. They were fined \$5 each.

Two cases of violating the speed law with automobiles and motorcycles were called this morning. One of the accused forfeited \$10 collateral by failing to appear, and the other failed to answer to his name when his case was called. His motorcycle, however, is at the station house and in order to recover it he will be compelled to leave \$10.

A woman, charged with keeping a hog on North Columbus street, was fined \$2 and ordered to remove the animal at once.

DEATHS

DIED.—On Saturday, July 20, 1918, at her residence, 528 South Patrick street, FRANCES E. FONES. She is survived by two sons, Thomas R. and Theodore E. Fones. Notice of funeral hereafter. 172-1t

AYERS.—On Thursday, July 18, 1918, at 7 p. m., at his residence, 419 Wolfe street, GEORGE AYERS, 73 years old. Funeral services at 5 p. m., Sunday, July 21. Relatives and friends invited to attend. 171-2v

BROWN.—On Thursday, July 18, 1918, at her home, 314 North Henry street, Alexandria, Va., NANCY, widow of Moore Brown. Funeral Sunday, July 21, 1918, from Beulah Baptist Church, South Washington street, at 2 p. m. 172-1t

In Memoriam.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dearly beloved husband, Ezra Bayliss, who died one year ago today, July 20, 1917.

More and more each day I miss you; Friends may think the wound is healed; But they little know the sorrow That lies in our hearts concealed.

By his devoted wife and children. Jennie, Stuart and Curtis Bayliss. 172-1t

At the Grand Theater, Tuesday, William S. Hart in a 7-reel feature, "Two Gun Man."

TALKS ON SANITATION

Interesting Address by Dr. L. L. Lumsden at Chamber of Commerce Last Night—Urges Co-operation of All Citizens in Work.

"Sanitation, Particularly From a Business Standpoint," was the subject of an interesting address delivered by Dr. L. L. Lumsden, of the United States public health service, last night before a large audience of men and women in the auditorium of the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Lumsden is here in connection with the sanitary work being done under the direction of the State Board of Health.

A few years ago he said at a conference of health officers some one said: "What is Sanitation?" Some one replied "Hygiene." A committee was appointed to bring in a definition and it reported as follows: "Sanitation is a common sense application of the principals of cleanliness."

A little girl once said sanitation means "getting things clean and keeping things clean."

Cleanliness, he declared, means freedom from dirt. Dirt if allowed to accumulate will result in a breeding place for flies. There are, he said, two kinds of dirt, harmless and dangerous dirt. The most dangerous is that discharged from the bodies of human beings and all communicable diseases are caused by dangerous dirt, he declared.

Dr. Lumsden then told of the causes of different diseases such as smallpox, tuberculosis. Some one, he said, once asked "How about kissing?" and he said he replied, "If it adds to your happiness you can afford to take a chance."

Diseases, he said are not very prevalent in this community. Owing to the large number of strangers coming here, he said, things will have to be done differently and we must arrange to meet changed conditions.

The best way to get rid of malaria, Dr. Lumsden declared, is to get rid of mosquitoes and breeding places for them.

In his talk about typhoid he said sanitation looms up as a war business and a big business. We cannot send our boys away unless they are well.

The best thing to do is to take means to prevent people from getting sick by taking the necessary measures. Human dirt, he declared, is the only source of disease and he added that we permit 100,000 babies to be killed annually by the filth allowed to be scattered around.

The success of the work depends largely on the people and he said it must be done by the people.

Dr. Lumsden then outlined conditions here. The typhoid rate here was forty-five to the average 100,000 population according to records of recent years. There is nothing to be done here that is not feasible, and he added it was within the power of the people to rid the city of typhoid by doing the things necessary. Typhoid can be gotten down to such a low rate that merchants can advertise it in their letter heads.

Regarding his investigation here he said he did not believe in gum-shoe methods. The people ought to know. Dr. Lumsden then told of his investigation of the fifty-two cases of typhoid here and of what he found following a minute examination. His story about the water supply of the city was practically the same as he told city council. He said he believed before long recommendations can be made that the ban be lifted prohibiting soldiers from eating or drinking here, but added, "We must be satisfied the water supply is safe."

The speaker told his audience not to work on the theory "that what we don't know won't hurt us." He urged the co-operation of all, especially the doctors, and said he believed Alexandria will take her place among cities with high standards of sanitation.

Robert L. Payne, president of the Chamber of Commerce, presided.

MISS RENDEL DIES AT THE RESIDENCE OF MRS. STRAUSS

Miss Mary Alice Rendel, twenty-four years old, died at 4 o'clock this morning at the residence of Mrs. Alice Strauss, 1227 King street. The deceased was a native of Dubois, Pa., and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Rendel, of that place. The body will be forwarded tonight to Dubois for burial.

SPEAKING AT SHIPYARD

Private Burgess of Princess Pat Regiment; J. A. Yeomans, of Canada, and Colin H. Livingstone, President of Company, Make Patriotic Addresses to Employees.

"Build Ships Like Hell." That's the message brought this afternoon to the shipbuilders of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation in an address delivered by J. A. Yeomans, from the Canadian War Lecture Bureau.

Private Leslie C. Burgess, of the famous Princess Pat regiment, also delivered an interesting address on conditions on the European battle-front.

Private Burgess' first story was one on the winning of a Victoria cross by Private Mullens. He said: "One day an order came to exterminate a pill-box while we were in 'No Man's Land.' Mullens crawled over to it in front of shot and shell of all sorts and lowered it and accounted for every man in the box and for this was awarded the Victoria cross."

He next told of the wonderful heroism of a boy of only seventeen who, single-handed, fought many Germans with a machine gun after his companion had been killed; finally wounded in the neck he put his gun out of business and afterward crawled back to his own lines.

Private Burgess gave a vivid portrayal of the battle of Ypres and told of the great slaughter of men in which for twenty-four hours the members of his regiment were completely surrounded. At the end of four days he told how other battalions reached them.

Continuing the speaker said: "Today in America we have a task and the most essential thing is the building of ships. The war is too big a thing for any single government. It is a task in which all must realize we have a part in. You have got to put every ounce of energy you possess in your work until the end of this war."

Colin H. Livingstone, president of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, told the shipbuilders they would have to build ships in order to keep things going, and he told the employees that it is up to them. Mr. Livingstone called the meeting to order and introduced Mr. Yeomans.

Mr. Yeomans told of the part Canada was playing in the war. Since the outbreak of hostilities, he said, 434,000 Canadians volunteered for service and 9,000 of those were unable to go owing to physical defects and later on 17,000 thrown out on the same grounds and actually 407,000 Canadians went into active service. By September he predicted 500,000 Canadians would be at the front. He factually told his hearers there were 30,000 liars in the United States, that number of men from here having entered the ranks of the Canadian regiment in order to fight for liberty.

The speaker praised the great war work being done in this country. He pictured the cruelties inflicted by the Germans on prisoners, and said there is no room today in America for any one not 100 per cent American. My message, he said, is "Build Ships to Beat Hell." Concluding his remarks he said: "I tell you how you can fight, put in sixty seconds to the minute and sixty minutes to the hour until the allies fight to a successful and honorable conclusion."

Both speakers were given a big ovation by the shipbuilders. In addition to the speakers others on the stand were R. M. Much, assistant treasurer of the corporation and M. B. Harlow.

The speakers were heartily congratulated by the shipbuilders. At the conclusion of the speaking the visitors were tendered luncheon.

Mr. Yeomans is from the Canadian War Lecture Bureau, and he, together with Private Burgess, have visited every shipbuilding plant from Washington, D. C., to Mexico and the Atlantic coast.

Mass meetings held in every city they have visited have been attended by crowds numbering as high as 15,000.

Tomorrow they will speak in Baltimore and also Monday and Tuesday in that city.

The picture "The Italian Battle-front," now playing at the Polaris Theater at one dollar a seat, will be shown here two days, July 25 and 26 at the Grand Theater. Admission 15c.

ALLIES SMASH STILL ON

About Eighteen Thousand Prisoners and Hundreds of Cannon Captured by French and American Troops.

Washington, July 20.—While no announcement of the capture of the city of Soissons has reached the War Department, Secretary Baker said today that the fall of that city seems to be indicated by dispatches.

Entente allied troops today are driving back the Germans on the southern bank of the River Marne and are now approaching the river embankments.

Official reports to the War Department, General March told newspaper men today at the weekly conference, showed a maximum penetration by the Franco-American counter attack of ten miles and an average penetration on a twenty-two-mile front of seven miles.

During his interview General March disclosed the fact that the embarkation of American troops has passed the 1,200,000 mark.

Paris, July 20.—More than 17,000 prisoners have been taken by the French and Americans, the war office announced last night.

Among the prisoners are two German colonels with their staffs.

The Franco-American troops have captured 250 cannon, including a battery of 210 caliber guns.

Ordinarily at least ten times the number of prisoners goes with such a staggering total of captured guns. Thursday and yesterday saw, therefore, a process of German killing such as has not occurred since Verdun.

Soissons, in flames and surrounded from three sides, was virtually in Franco-American hands last night. They can enter it any time they want.

The number of prisoners taken up to early yesterday evening is now reported on good authority to approach the 18,000 mark.

There is a strong impression that Soissons has fallen, though this is not yet officially confirmed. Late dispatches indicate, however, that the Germans were getting out of the burning city in the afternoon.

London, July 20.—Scottish troops captured the village of Meteren, together with more than 300 prisoners and a number of machine guns, in an operation in the British sector yesterday morning, according to the official report from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters in France last night.

Australian troops advanced to a short distance south of Meteren and took eighty prisoners and ten machine guns, the report adds.

German raids Thursday night in the Villers-Bretonneux and Marancourt sectors on either side of the Somme were driven off by the British, said the official statement from Field Marshal Haig yesterday. The British captured a few prisoners in successful raids in the regions of Bazoucy, Villervall and Locre.

Washington, July 20.—American troops, side by side with the French, continue to sweep forward to new victories.

There is no longer question that the tide of the war has turned. Soissons is believed by American and entente military experts to have fallen.

Approximately 30,000 prisoners have been taken, the unofficial reports to the entente embassies indicate.

Press reports from Paris to the effect that the Germans are now everywhere on the defensive are accepted literally in military circles.

Many experts are prepared to believe that yesterday's successful attack by the British on Villers-Bretonneux, reported in the news dispatches, but not yet officially confirmed, presages a larger British offensive soon to start.

At Grand Monday.

Mary MacLaren to be seen in "Her Bargain" at the Grand on Monday, the thrilling drama of the over-dressed girl, has scored the most remarkable triumph of any girl in motion pictures, having risen from appearing in one picture, "Shoes," to the eminence of a star. "Her Bargain" is an altogether different story from what she has heretofore appeared in. It is a thrilling six-part drama of life exposing the temptations to which a girl is subjected, and carries a lesson to every one of them and to their mothers as well. No mother or daughter should fail to see "Her Bargain."



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WORK IS BEING EXPEDITED

Alexandrians, officials as well as private individuals, are at work earnestly in cleaning up the city. The authorities are investigating conditions in each section, and everything in any way unsanitary or unsightly is being removed. Much progress in the work has been made, and within the next week or ten days there is every reason to believe Alexandria will be given a clean bill of health.

The recent order issued by the commandant at Camp Humphreys forbidding soldiers of that rendezvous to procure refreshments in our city will, it is believed, prove a blessing in disguise, as it has brought to the birth a sanitary spirit which is bringing forth fruit. And it can be confidently stated that the city will not only be rendered clean in every particular, but be kept clean.

The meeting at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce last night was well-attended, and the address of Dr. Lumsden, of the United States public health service, was listened to with close attention by all present.

The doctor was epigrammatic at times, and among other things said: "The best definition he ever heard of sanitation was, 'Sanitation is a Common Sense Application of the Principles of Cleanliness.' A little girl once declared it means 'Getting things cleaned and keeping them cleaned.'"

The speaker declared that human dirt is a source of disease and 100,000 babies are allowed to be killed annually by permitting filth to be scattered around.

The success of the work, he again declared, depends on the people. There is nothing to be done here that is not feasible, he told his hearers.

Dr. W. L. Wood, who is in Alexandria in connection with the sanitary campaign, states that the work is progressing satisfactorily, and that before long he hopes to have installed at the foot of Wolfe street a waste disposal station, and also hopes to be able to secure an incineration plant for the disposal of all garbage. A crew for cleaning up the garbage of the city has been organized and now is at work.

Our people are working with a will, and the above suggestions meet with the hearty approval of all.

THE BOYS STILL MARCH ON

Dispatches from the western battle front are of the most exhilarating nature. The allies, among whom the American soldiers are prominent, are still forging ahead, capturing thousands of prisoners and cannon. The supposed irresistible German soldiers are being worsted and are falling back, while the allies are rushing "over the top."

Military experts see in the existing situation incalculable possibilities for the allied forces. The latter by this time should have a considerable numerical superiority. A decided defeat of the Germans in the area where the French and Americans have assumed the offensive, or at any other point in the long and winding battle line stretching from the Channel to the east of Rheims, might mean universal and irreparable disaster.

The condition that has dominated military operations in France and Flanders for four months has undergone a vital change in the last two days. The initiative has been taken from the German armies. They are put on the defensive. From the assailants they have become the assailed.

On one sector of the American front the German dead is estimated at 5,000.

and the wounded probably bring the total at that point up to 20,000.

The German armies are battle worn and weary now, and they probably have lost much of their recuperative power.

When such an immense host is once thrown into a state of confusion and disorganization by a crushing defeat at any point, the disaster is likely to be irreparable and fatal. The rout may not come now, but when it does come it will be such a rout as the world has never witnessed or imagined.

FILLING THE CUP OF INIQUITY

Lieut. Frederick Timothy Murphy, who enlisted in the regulars of the United States army and left America last winter, tells of German trickery that engenders only hatred. He says the Huns fill the bodies of the dead, with bombs in order to kill men who come out to bury them.

Five hundred years before Joshua led the Israelites into the land of Canaan and exterminated the inhabitants Jehovah told Abraham, the progenitor of the Hebrew race, that the cup of iniquity of the Amorites was not yet full. The history of the people ejected by the children of Israel is of the blackest, and the many interdictions of the Pentateuch referred to brutal acts which had been committed by the original inhabitants of the land. At the end of five centuries their cup of iniquity was found to be full, and these defiers of God and man were swept from the earth.

All the tribes of the land, however, did not fall before Joshua. Some escaped, and the progeny of the accursed are doubtless in the world today.

The ferocity of any people who would perpetrate cruelty upon men while engaged in burying the dead is as rank as that of the Canaanites of old. Instead of having a place in the sun, such degenerates should not be allowed a place on the planet.

A MARKED CONTRAST

While conferences were being held by ambassadors this time four years ago in attempts to avert the present fearful war the kaiser was represented as being attired in glistening uniforms of his regiments. While so encased he refused every proposal calculated to keep peace in Europe. He was war mad, and would listen to nothing pacific.

A news item in the papers recently directed attention to the kaiser's wardrobe, which, it was stated, cost thousands of dollars. He is said to still array himself in these martial garbs, changing his uniforms several times in a day.

King George of England will buy now new clothing during the war. He announces that he will practice self-denial on personal clothing and when shown samples of standard cloth while on a tour of the woolen towns of Yorkshire recently, made plain his determination.

ALEXANDRIA FIRM GETS CONTRACT.

The Contract for signs to be furnished the Department of Agriculture has been awarded to The Elliott Sign Co., 118 South St. Asaph Street. "By Geo! It's Good!"

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On North Washington, North Columbus or on Queen, gold watch charm, Masonic emblem on one side and Elks head on the other; reward if returned to 508 North Washington street. 172-1t

LOST—On Thursday night, black silk handbag, containing \$45 and monthly ticket; reward of \$10 if returned to The Gazette. 172-3t

LOST—Wednesday night on Washington street, between Cameron and King or King, between Washington and Patrick, gold medal inscribed "W. Kelly, for diligence, Alexandria Academy, 1882." Reward upon return to 1000 Prince street. 171-3t

FOR SALE AND RENT.

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WANTED—A good man for delivery wagon. Apply American Railway Express Co., 106 S. Fairfax street. 171-3t

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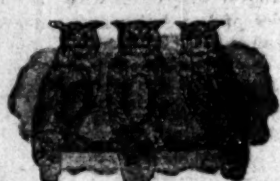
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

President Farrington of the Illinois coal miners' union, representing 100,000 men, denies statement, attributed to him by the National Coal Association, that he favors prohibition as a means of speeding up coal production.

The Fuel Administration yesterday ordered lightless nights in effect again beginning July 24. The order prohibits the use of any light generated or produced by the use of coal, oil, gas or other fuel for illuminating or displaying advertisements, announcements or signs, or for the external illumination of any buildings on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights in New England, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and the District of Columbia, and on Mondays and Tuesday in any other State. No illumination in shop windows or signs in store windows will be permitted from sunrise to sunset nor on lightless nights.

Baseball is a nonessential industry and ball players must shift to productive occupations or lose such deferred classifications in the draft as may have been given them because of dependence claims and other reasons. This, briefly, is the fate of professional baseball in American, decided yesterday by Secretary Baker, on the appeal of Edward Ainsmith, a catcher on the Washington team of the American League.

The assertion that the late Victoriano Huerta, President of Mexico, came to the United States after he was ousted from the presidency, in the interests of the German government, and with the intent to cause war between Mexico and this country, was made on the witness stand in Chicago yesterday by Gaston B. Means, during his testimony regarding an alleged second will prepared by the late James C. King. Means said that Mrs. Maude C. King, of whose murder he recently was acquitted, was interested with him financially in supplying the German government with rubber, in violation of the Anglo-American trade agreement. He said Germany still owed Mrs. King's estate approximately \$167,000 as a result of these transactions.

Col. Roosevelt received further encouragement yesterday in his hope that the life of Lieut. Quentin Roosevelt, his youngest son, was not lost when the young aviator fell behind the German line during an air battle. The encouragement was contained in the following cablegram sent by Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, jr., from Paris. "Quentin's plane seen to dive 800 meters, not in flames. Seen to

strike ground. Could have been under control, as did not spin. Chance exists he is a prisoner."

Nature is conducting a "starvation drive" against Germany and Austria. While the crops of America and her allies promise this year to break all records, for size, those of Germany and her allies will be smaller than at anytime since the war began. Widespread drought enveloped the central empires during April, May and June, stopped the developments of all the vegetables and roots so urgently needed by the Teutons. The Huns will tighten their belts another notch and wait hungrily for the "victorious peace" their rulers have promised them.

Mrs. Elizabeth Alex, aged 40, wife of Charles Alex, committed suicide by burning at her home in Piedmont, Va., Thursday night. She died as she was about to be taken to a hospital. She had planned self-destruction, having all the material necessary in an outhouse, where she poured kerosene on her dress and lighted it. She had been ill.

VESSEL SUNK.

Carpathia Torpedoed Of the Irish Coast Last Wednesday.

London, July 22.—The British steamer Carpathia was torpedoed in the Atlantic on Wednesday. It was announced here yesterday. The Carpathia, 13,603 tons gross, was owned by the Cunard Line. Prior to the war she was engaged in transatlantic service. Although in the service of the British government for several months, the Carpathia has been used as an American troop transport. It was the Carpathia which answered the wireless S. O. S. call of the White Star liner Titanic in April, 1912 when that vessel hit a submerged iceberg on her maiden voyage to New York, and was sunk with heavy loss of life. The Carpathia picked up and landed at New York 866 survivors of the Titanic.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the corporation court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of July, 1918.

Ralph E. Campbell vs. Thelma D. Campbell. In chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony upon the grounds of adultery. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Thelma D. Campbell, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

J. R. and H. B. Caton, P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

By—Cora Duffey, D. C.

this was sunk off the Irish coast as she was bound out. Very few persons were on board her. Five persons were killed on the Cunard liner through a torpedo entering the engine room. The remainder of those on board took to the lifeboats. All the passengers on board were saved.

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VIRGINIA NEWS

Max H. Baber, a German employed by the Camas Cigarette Machine Company at Salem, is in jail in Roanoke on charges of having made seditious utterances against the United States. Baber refused to contribute to a tobacco fund for selectmen, and is alleged to have used insulting language in referring to men called under the selective draft. When asked to subscribe to a fund being raised to purchase a service flag, he is said to have remarked that he would not contribute a cent, and referred to the Stars and Stripes as a "dirty rag, representing a dirty and contemptible race."

William A. Monroe, who has been appointed head of the real estate department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company by the Federal manager of that road, was formerly of Stafford county, and is a brother of Collector of Internal Revenue R. C. L. Monroe, of Stafford. He has been in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company since 1892.

Arrangements were completed at Camp Lee Thursday whereby 100 or more conscientious objectors will be taken care of. The men were removed to the Seventh battalion and from now on will be forced to live in tents. They will be employed in the sanitary department of the camp. Several announced yesterday they were members of the Christadelphian Church and as such were opposed to war.

Late details of Page county's double tragedy Thursday, the murder of William E. Kerns, and the suicide of the slayer, Ross Dallas, developed at the Kerns inquest, show that the slain man had a .32-caliber revolver strapped to his body. It is alleged that Kerns informed his wife that he intended to kill Dallas with the weapon. This threat, it is said, was overheard by Dallas, who was hiding in some bushes near Luray, where Kerns and his wife were discussing their domestic troubles.

Col. F. Nash Billisley, of Portsmouth was named fisheries commissioner by Gov. Davis yesterday, and Col. Thomas Henry Nottingham, of Eastville, shellfish commissioner and secretary to the board. Nottingham succeeds Billisley, who fills the vacancy caused by the death of Commissioner Rew.

Mary Hall, colored, living in Portsmouth, Va., was shot and killed sometime during the early part of Thursday morning by John Barnes, also colored, who later in the day ended his life by shooting himself in the heart. Barnes is supposed to be a deserter from the National Army, having left his company at Hampton.

Charles D. Baber, aged 60, a Southside farmer, of Charlottesville, was shot and instantly killed Thursday night by Mrs. Norman Parr, the 25-year-old wife of a young farmer residing near Coveseville. The tragedy occurred at the Parr home, to which Baber, under the influence of liquor,

FALLS 100 FEET.

Lieutenant Souther, Naval Aviator, is Killed.

Providence, R. I., July 20.—Lieut. A. F. Souther, a naval aviator, was killed near East Greenwich yesterday when his airplane fell 100 feet into the water.

Lieutenant Souther, who came from Cleveland, Ohio, made two trial flights Tuesday an dhad made three flights this morning. He had risen to a height of 600 feet on a fourth flight an dwas over the main bay when something went wrong an dthe plane shot into the water. Fishing boats hoisted the plane sufficiently to permit the recovery of the body.

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went and threatened to assault the young wife, alone with an infant. At the point of a gun, Baber left the residence, but started to return. As he ascended the porch steps the frightened woman fired, the load penetrating his right side. At 2 o'clock yesterday morning a coroner's jury met at the scene and exonerated Mrs. Parr from all blame. Baber married Miss Jennie Hunt, of Coveseville, who survives, with seven children, three of whom are grown.

HUN'S EYES ON EGYPT

Junker Writers Say Object Is to Capture Suez Canal and Hold Whip Hand.

Amsterdam, July 20.—After France is crushed, Egypt! That in a nutshell is the German scheme of conquest now being planned.

Although not quite so confident as they were before the spring offensive, the Huns still hope to capture Paris and occupy the seacoast from Dunkirk to Havre.

That accomplished, a great army will be sent to help the Turks seize the Suez Canal and place all northern Africa under German control.

This campaign is made plain by articles in government-inspired German newspapers, written by junker leaders, who emphasize the fact that Germany can never become a world power so long as she is shut up in Europe. Due to the failures on the western front, the German public is being taught that the war will be won in the Far East and in Africa.

To allay the fear that no German land victories can break the British naval blockade and give Germany access to the sources of raw materials, it is maintained that the Germans will be able to strike successfully not only in Egypt, but through Persia and Afghanistan at India.

Dr. Paul Rohrbach in a recent article in Deutsche Politik gives this expression of the German plan:

"There must be a complete reversal of the situation on the Euphrates and in Palestine as soon as we can effect a great increase in our strength there. The English may accumulate in Egypt whatever they like; they are lost as soon as the war in Europe ended, we come to the help of the Turks with all our strength."

"England cannot seriously risk a collapse in Egypt. If her life line running from Gibraltar through the Suez Canal to India is successfully attacked, England is lost. Here we have the possibility of realizing peace."

And Dr. Hans Ehrenberg, writing on the same subject in the Vossische Zeitung, says the German people must realize that if they do not win their struggle for world position they will be "thrown back upon Europe to suffocate there."

"Possession of the coast of Flanders," he adds, "would not make Germany free as against America or the Anglo Saxon combination. To escape from that position we must gain a secured outlet to the ocean, and to that end it is not enough to possess Constantinople; it is also imperative to gain control of the Suez Canal. This would give Germany a pledge of victory in the future great naval and colonial war."



Conserving the Calls

(A News Item From The Washington Star)

"A business firm in this city has adopted a war measure, which, it thinks, if taken up by other business establishments will, to a small extent, help win the war. This firm announces that it will not allow any telephone calls, either incoming or outgoing, to be made by any one connected with the establishment except calls necessary for the carrying on of the firm's business. It is pointed out that if this proposition were adopted by every one in the city it would materially relieve the congestion and delay in the necessary telephone service."

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HUNS ENSLAVE WOMEN

Herded Like Cattle and Housed With Many of Kaiser's Soldiers.

Paris, July 20.—Hun Kultur in its worst form is bared in the narratives of two French girls recently repatriated from Germany after two years of slavery.

The narratives have been published in book by Henrietta Celarie, a Parisian authoress, and recite in detail the revolting conditions French women captives are compelled to endure.

Some of the most appalling records have been suppressed, those made public, it is explained, being usual rather than exceptional cases.

Yvonne X—, woman of 30, belonged to one of the best middle class families of Lille. At 4 a. m. Easter morning, 1916, she was awakened by German soldiers who entered her room and demanded that she dress and accompany them.

She was given 20 minutes to be ready, and told that she would be dragged out as she was if she refused.

In the same fashion 600 women and girls, many of them 18 years old and under, were collected.

The women were driven into cattle cars. In the car Yvonne X— was driven, 20 women and four men were herded like cattle. A sign chalked on the car read "Eighteen women."

They were taken to Ardennes, where they were taken before a German major, who made the women pass before him, entirely naked, for a "medical examination."

Three of the girls wept bitterly. They had been reported "good for every purpose."

Housed with common prostitutes and treated with the utmost contempt by the soldiery, every effort was made to break down the women's morality. Several men would be lodged in the same house with one or two of the French women.

HOOVER'S PARTY LANDS.

George S. Jackson, of Baltimore, Among Those in England for Food Survey.

London, July 20.—Food Administrator Hoover left Washington en-route to London July 8, and sailed from an Atlantic port a few days later, to make a survey of the food situation in Europe. He was accompanied by Joseph P. Cotton, Chief of the Meat Division; James W. Bell, of the Milling Division; George S. Jackson, of Baltimore, vice-president of the Grain Corporation of the Food Administration, and Lewis Strauss, Mr. Hoover's secretary.

Mr. Hoover will confer with the food ministries of the Allies and endeavor to determine their requirements and to take measures to unify distribution. The entire problem of pooling food supplies will occupy a large part of his time while in Europe.

Dr. Alonzo Taylor, chief dietician of the Food Administration, who had wide experience with food problems in Europe, particularly in Germany and Austria since the outbreak of war, has been in London for several weeks preparing data for the conferences which begin next Monday.

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DESPERATE SITUATION.

Arbeiter Zeitung Prints Daring Escape of True Position.

Washington, July 20.—The most daring exposition of the true military situation yet printed in a newspaper of the Central Powers was cabled here from Berne in unofficial dispatches yesterday. The statement is printed in the Arbeiter Zeitung, a socialist daily paper of Vienna.

The report reads: "That the Americans are transforming the situation against the central powers is growing more evident in a perceptible manner every day. All of the latest reports are in agreement that there is no longer any doubt that a million Americans are today in France."

"There genius in the art of organization has obtained an amazing result which recalls the creation of the British army. All of the forces debarbing in France today have been raised, trained and equipped in a year and a half. The participation of the Americans in the struggle increases to a gigantic extent the intensity of the efforts which Germany must make. It is a fact without precedence in the history for Germany to find herself today confronted with three states whose population is three times superior to hers and whose talents for organization and economical enforcements are equal to the organization and economical power of Germany."

"The Germans are maintaining their positions but their is a limit to everything, and it can be understood clearly why the Supreme Command of the German army is striving to obtain a final decision this year. It is now a question of doing this before the United States is able to throw the whole weight of her force into the balance."

Indians Ready to Fight.

Yakima, Wash., July 20.—Yakima Indians, whose questionnaires are being received now by the local exemption board, are ready to doff war paint and feathers for steel helmets and gas masks. Of the 18 questionnaires returned only one called for a deferred classification.

Many of the Indians not only waived their claims for deferred classification but asked to be placed in the first group to go.

Of the 172 white men "newly weds" whose questionnaires are to be re-examined by the district exemption board at Kennewick 81 men who made them out have wives who are frail and unable to support themselves. There are 23 who have "war babies" and the others have wives who are "normal in health." The high percentage of poor health among the country's war brides has led to an investigation by the draft officials.

GLAD TO TESTIFY

Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly. Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then... it would last... two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful."

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LIQUOR INDICTMENTS DENIED

Charlottesville Grand Jury Throws out Nine of Ten Presentments in Liquor Cases.

Charlottesville, Va., July 20.—A regular grand jury of the corporation court this week set a precedent in handling indictments for violations of the Mapp prohibition law by going fully into the evidence on both sides. As a result they threw out nine of ten presentments sent up from police court.

The only one indicted was John Davis, colored resident of Charlottesville, who shot Prohibition Officer Shelhorse on a train in Alexandria last month and is now held in jail without bail on the charge of murder. He is charged in Charlottesville with having transported an illegal quantity of whisky in March.

BEEES ARE HELPING.

Produce 250,000,000 Pounds of Honey in United States Annually.

Washington, July 20.—The little busy bee improves each shining hour just like a Red Cross worker these days, and he's stinging the Kaiser quite considerably.

About 250,000,000 pounds of honey are produced annually in the United States, the Department of Agriculture announces. This is an important contribution to the nation's food supply, particularly in these days of sugar shortage. The department urges an increase in honey production of at least 10 to 20 times the amount now produced. The available supply of honey nectar at present is only touched by the busy bees.

TEN PER CENT ON INCOME

Big Increase on Individuals and Corporations Favored at Tax Session.

Washington, July 20.—A 10 per cent minimum income tax for individuals and corporations in lieu of the present

ent 4 per cent for individuals and 6 per cent for corporations, was favored at yesterday executive session of the House Ways and Means Committee, which is drafting the new war revenue bill. No conclusion was reached, however. Lowering of the

fixed amounts exempted from taxation also was discussed, but sentiment largely was in opposition.

Members of the committee expressed fear that with present rates the \$6,000,000,000 revenue planned from incomes and excess profits could not be raised. With this in mind, some members suggested resort to consumption taxes, but this was regarded as a last expedient. A slight tax on cotton also was suggested.

On the assumption that nation-wide prohibition legislation now pending in Congress will not be enacted this year, there was renewed discussion of obtaining more revenue from beer and other intoxicating liquors. It was suggested that a direct tax on gross sales in all transactions from manufacturer to consumer would yield \$2,000,000,000.

The committee is carefully considering and freely discussing all sections of the bill and it may be several weeks before any rates are fixed.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Attention, Red Men.

Members of Osceola Tribe, I. R. R. M., will assemble at their hall on Cameron street, between Fairfax and Royal streets, tomorrow (Sunday) at 3:30 p. m. to attend the funeral of Brother George Ayers. Seminole Tribe and visiting Red Men invited to attend. By order of

W. J. Garrett, Sachem.

The regular state teachers' examination will be held at the Lee School building July 25-26, 1918.

W. H. Sweeney, Supt. Schools.

There will be a called convocation of Mt. Vernon Royal Arch Chapter No. 14, Monday evening, July 22, 1918, at 8 o'clock. Companions please attend as the high priest has an important announcement to make in regard to next regular convocation. By order of the M. E. high priest.

A. G. Uhler, Secretary.

Work, Royal Arch

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The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States Realty Company of Washington, D. C., Incorporated, will be held on Wednesday, July 31, 1918, at 2 p. m., at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., for the election of officers and directors and such other business as may properly come before it.

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